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Sir:

The present amendments and remarks are in response to the Office Action mailed on September 30, 2003. Reconsideration of the present application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

telephone interview, the Examiner is invited to telephone Brad Haymond at (541)

715-0159, so that such issues may be resolved as expeditiously as possible.

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